

STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
SUPERVISOR OF WELLS

IN THE MATTER OF

THE PETITION OF ARBOR OPERATING, LLC FOR AN)
ORDER FROM THE SUPERVISOR OF WELLS FOR AN)
EXCEPTION TO THE NO FLARE ORDER PROVISIONS) CAUSE NO. 08-2011
OF SPECIAL ORDER NO. 3-71 IN BLAIR TOWNSHIP,)
GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.)

NOTICE OF HEARING

Take notice that a contested case hearing will be held before the Supervisor of Wells (Supervisor) in the city of Lansing, Michigan, on the SEVENTH DAY OF JULY (JULY 7) 2011, BEGINNING AT 9:00 A.M., AT THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, STEPHEN NISBET HEARING ROOM, ATRIUM LEVEL, SOUTH TOWER, CONSTITUTION HALL, 525 WEST ALLEGAN STREET, LANSING, MICHIGAN. The hearing will be conducted pursuant to Part 615, Supervisor of Wells, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (NREPA), MCL 324.61501 *et seq.*; the administrative rules, 1996 AACS, 2001 MR 2, 2002 MR 23, R 324.101 *et seq.*; and the Administrative Procedures Act, 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 *et seq.*; MSA 3.560(101) *et seq.*

The hearing is for the purpose of receiving testimony and evidence pertaining to the need or desirability of issuing an order in the matter of the petition of Arbor Operating, LLC (Petitioner).

Petitioner seeks an order of the Supervisor as an exception to Special Order No. 3-71, authorizing Petitioner to flare up to one hundred thousand (100,000) cubic feet of gas per day from the Norton Woods 1-20A HD1 well located in the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 20 and SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 21, T26N, R11W, Blair Township, Grand Traverse County, Michigan. The well is currently authorized to flare forty thousand (40,000) cubic feet of gas per day.


You can obtain a copy of the written petition by requesting it in writing from Mr. Dylan Foglesong, 104 South Union Street, Suite 202, Traverse City, Michigan 49684; by telephone at 231-941-2237; or e-mail at Dylan@arbor-resources.com.

Take note that if you wish to participate as a party in the hearing by presenting evidence or cross-examining witnesses, you shall prepare and mail or otherwise deliver to the Petitioner and Supervisor, not less than five days before the hearing date, an answer to the petition in writing. Proof of mailing or delivering the answer shall be filed with the Supervisor on or before the date of the hearing. The answer shall state with specificity the interested person's position with regard to the petition. Failure to prepare

and serve an answer in a timely manner shall preclude you from presenting evidence or cross-examining witnesses at the hearing. If an answer to the petition is not filed, the Supervisor may elect to consider the petition and enter an order without oral hearing. Mail the answer to the petitions to Mr. Dylan Foglesong at the above address and to the Supervisor in care of the Assistant Supervisor of Wells, Mr. Harold R. Fitch, Office of Geological Survey (OGS), P.O. Box 30256, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7756.

Questions regarding the Notice of Hearing should be directed to Ms. Susan Maul, OGS, Department of Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 30241, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7741, telephone number 517-241-1552. Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in this hearing should call or write Ms. Maul at least a week in advance of the hearing date to request mobility, visual, hearing, or other assistance.

Dated: *June 3, 2011*



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